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FOR INTEGRATED CIRCUIT (IC)

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Amendments to the Title appear on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

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VARIED-THICKNESS HEAT SINK FOR INTEGRATED CIRCUIT (IC) PACKAGES AND METHOD OF FABRICATING IC PACKAGES